

The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D.C. 20505

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17 March 1978

Dear Bob,

I've just received an invitation to your retirement ceremony on the 20th of April and wanted to get back to you now because I will be out of town for the next two weeks. Both Pat and I very much hope to be able to make the ceremony and I have enclosed the accept RSVP card. I say we hope to make it because I am scheduled to testify on the Hill on the morning of the 20th, but if that changes we will most certainly be there. I'll have my staff get in touch with yours just as soon as I know one way or the other.

If we are unable to attend, please know we will be with both you and Kelly in thought and spirit as you close out a most distinguished career. Since you will temporarily hang your hat down the road in Falls Church, please do get in touch.

Again, hope we make it on the 20th; in the meantime, all the best.

Yours,



STANSFIELD TURNER

General Robert J. Dixon, USAF
Commanding General
Tactical Air Command
Langley Air Force Base
Virginia 23665

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RSVP CARD

NAME Admiral and Mrs. Stansfield Turner

	Accept	Regret
Husband	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wife	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

For out-of-town guests:

Arrival date and time 20 April

Mode of Transportation Govt Air

Do you desire billeting reservations? No

Departure date and time 20 April

(Please reply by 1 April 1978)

Chief of Protocol: (804) 764-5044; Autocon: 432-5044

DATE RECEIVED: 14 MAR /8

DATE OF EVENT: 20 APR 78

SUSPENSE: 10 APR 78

1. INFORMATION REGARDING THE INVITATION:

- a. Source: Tactical Air Command
- b. Type of Event: Retirement Ceremony
- c. Special Occasion: Retirement of Gen Robert J. Dixon
- d. Hosted By: Tactical Air Command
- e. Date/Time: 20 April, 1100 *Thursday*
- f. Location: Langley AFB, VA
- g. Attire: Military-Service Dress Blue/Civilian-Business Suit
- h. Significant Info:

2. SCHEDULE:

20 April

		<i>1430 Depart WNA</i>	<i>1500 arr Langley</i>	<i>1600 arr Homestead Sydney</i>	<i>2200 Return Wash</i>
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3. RECOMMENDATIONS:

	Accept	Regret	Remarks
AIDE		<i>PA</i>	
3P		<i>OK</i>	DCI will be testifying before the HPSCI on the morning of the 20th.
EA			<i>If HPSCI charges I'd like to do this & especially since I'm going almost there anyway - Really like Dixon</i>

4. DCI DECISION: (MRS. TURNER INVITED - Yes No)

a. ACCEPT ☒ REGRET ☐ SEE ME ☐

b. PASS TO: DDCI ☐ D/DCI/IC ☐ D/DCI/NI ☐

5. AIDE FINAL ACTION: *Accepted (tentative) by ltr dtd 17 Mar. RSVP card enclosed w/letter*

6. INFORMATION ROUTING:

a. COMMENTS:

Tactical Air Command

requests the pleasure of your company

at a

Retirement Ceremony

marking the retirement of

General Robert J. Dixon

on Thursday, the twentieth of April

at eleven o'clock

The Flight Line, East Ramp

Reception following

Officers' Open Mess

Langley Air Force Base

R.S.V.P.

Chief of Protocol

Autoron - 432-5044

Commercial - 804-764-5044

Military - Combination One

Civilian - Business Suit

*(In the event of inclement weather, the ceremony will
be held in Hangar 753D, East Ramp)*